

## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

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# U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services

[OMB Control Number 1615-0072]

**Agency Information Collection Activities:** Application for Suspension of Deportation or Special Rule Cancellation of Removal (Pursuant to Section 203 of Public Law 105-100, NACARA), Form I-881; Extension, Without Change, of a Currently Approved Collection. **Action: 60-Day Notice.** 

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SUMMARY: The Department of Homeland Security (DHS), U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services (USCIS) invites the general public and other Federal agencies to comment upon this proposed extension. In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995, the information collection notice is published in the <u>Federal Register</u> to obtain comments regarding the nature of the information collection, the categories of respondents, the estimated burden (i.e. the time, effort, and resources used by the respondents to respond), the estimated cost to the respondent, and the actual information collection instruments.

**DATES:** Comments are encouraged and will be accepted for 60 days until [INSERT DATE 60 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

**ADDRESSES:** All submissions received must include the OMB Control Number 1615-0072 in the subject box, the agency name and Docket ID USCIS-2008-0077. To avoid duplicate submissions, please use only one of the following methods to submit comments:

(1) Online. You may access the Federal Register Notice and submit comments via the Federal eRulemaking Portal Web site by visiting <a href="www.regulations.gov">www.regulations.gov</a>. In the search box either copy and paste, or type in, the e-Docket ID number USCIS-2008-007. Click on the link titled

Open Docket Folder for the appropriate Notice and supporting documents, and click the Comment Now tab to submit a comment;

- (2) E-mail. Submit comments to <u>USCISFRComment@uscis.dhs.gov</u>;
- (3) <u>Mail</u>. Submit written comments to DHS, USCIS, Office of Policy and Strategy, Chief, Regulatory Coordination Division, 20 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20529-2140.

# SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

#### **Comments:**

Regardless of the method used for submitting comments or material, all submissions will be posted, without change, to the Federal eRulemaking Portal at http://www.regulations.gov, and will include any personal information you provide. Therefore, submitting this information makes it public. You may wish to consider limiting the amount of personal information that you provide in any voluntary submission you make to DHS. DHS may withhold information provided in comments from public viewing that it determines may impact the privacy of an individual or is offensive. For additional information, please read the Privacy Act notice that is available via the link in the footer of http://www.regulations.gov.

Note: The address listed in this notice should only be used to submit comments concerning this information collection. Please do not submit requests for individual case status inquiries to this address. If you are seeking information about the status of your individual case, please check "My Case Status" online at: https://egov.uscis.gov/cris/Dashboard.do, or call the USCIS National Customer Service Center at 1-800-375-5283.

Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies should address one or more of the following four points:

- (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- (2) Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

### Overview of this information collection:

- (1) <u>Type of Information Collection</u>: Extension, Without Change, of a Currently Approved Collection.
- (2) <u>Title of the Form/Collection</u>: Application for Suspension of Deportation or Special Rule Cancellation of Removal (Pursuant to Section 203 of Public Law 105-100, NACARA).
- (3) Agency form number, if any, and the applicable component of the DHS sponsoring the collection: I-881; USCIS.
- (4) Affected public who will be asked or required to respond, as well as a brief abstract:
  Primary: Individuals or households. Form I-881 is used by a nonimmigrant to apply for suspension of deportation or special rule cancellation of removal. The information collected on this form is necessary in order for USCIS to determine if it

has jurisdiction over an individual applying for this release as well as to elicit information regarding the eligibility of an individual applying for release.

(5) An estimate of the total number of respondents and the amount of time estimated

for an average respondent to respond: The estimated total number of respondents for

the information collection I-881 is approximately 1,197 and the estimated hour

burden per response is 12 hours per response; and the estimated number of

respondents providing biometrics is 1,674 and the estimated hour burden per

response is 1.17 hours.

(6) An estimate of the total public burden (in hours) associated with the collection: The

total estimated annual hour burden associated with this collection is approximately

16,323 hours.

If you need a copy of the information collection instrument with instructions, or

additional information, please visit the Federal eRulemaking Portal site at:

http://www.regulations.gov. We may also be contacted at: USCIS, Office of Policy and

Strategy, Regulatory Coordination Division, 20 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, DC

20529-2140, Telephone number 202-272-8377.

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